

E-HAPPENINGS

WESTERN NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

April 2-8, 2007

NEWS

College Rolls Out New Academic Web Site Sections

A year of improvements to the college's web site has ended with the rollout today of new academics sections of the site. Webmaster Kevin Murphy has spent months working with all the academic divisions and administrators, student services departments, the Information and Marketing Services team, and many others to create a more interactive and database driven site. The goal is to enhance searchability, accuracy and types of academic program and course information.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2007-04-02a.php>

New College Mission and Goals Announced

A new WNCC mission and goals statement was approved last week by College Council. The new statement was the result of several months of work by an ad-hoc mission and goals committee made up of college faculty, staff and students.

<http://www.wncc.edu/president/mission.php>

ATHLETICS

Western Nevada Splits Series with Southern Nevada

When outfielder Chad Walling's throw to the plate nabbed a runner trying to score in the final inning of Saturday's final game, it looked to be the big play the Wildcats needed to take three of four games from No. 14-ranked Community College of Southern Nevada. However, with one out left, the next batter for CCSN lined a two-run homer over the left field fence that gave the cross-state rivals a weekend split at John L. Harvey Field.

Western (21-16-1, 15-9 conference) fell 2-1 in the first contest Friday but slugged its way to a 9-5 victory in the second game. The score was 4-3 in both games on Saturday, with WNCC winning the first and CCSN the nightcap. The Wildcats remain in third place, two games out of first. They have a chance to play for first place this week as they travel to Twin Falls, Idaho, to face College of Southern Idaho in two doubleheaders April 6-7.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2007-03-28a.php>



Cole Rohrbough (left) watches Nevada Sen. Mark Amodei throw out the first pitch on Friday.

EVENTS

Students Host Open Mic Night

Tuesday, April 3, 7-9:30 p.m.

WNCC Carson City, Dini Student Services Center

Info: Richard Pfrenzinger at 775-246-4860

Everyone is invited and anyone can participate in Open Mic Night, sponsored by the United Students Association. The theme is "freedom of speech."

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2007-03-30b.php>

Magician to Appear at Carson City campus

Thursday, April 5, 6-7 p.m.

WNCC Carson City, Dini Student Services Center

Info: 775-445-3218

Street magician Nate Staniforth will be roaming around the Carson City campus performing "street magic." He then will present clips of his experiences and some on-the-spot magic at a free show, sponsored by the United Students Association.

Don't Miss Final "Charlie Brown" Performances

Friday-Sunday, April 6-8

Brewery Arts Center, 449 W. King St.

Info: 775-445-3000

The Western Nevada Musical Theatre Company opened its 2007 season with the classic musical "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" last weekend to sold-out audiences. They will again present the celebrated characters of Charles Schultz's comic strip this weekend.

Tickets: 775-445-4249.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2007-02-14a.php>



"Capri Sun Dress" by
Lauren Easeby, 2006.

ARTS

Students Featured in "Visual Foundations" Exhibit

Monday-Friday, April 2-6

WNCC Fallon, Virgil Getto Hall Gallery

Info: 775-423-7565

Full gallery schedule: <http://www.wncc.edu/news/gallery/>

Recycled Art(icles) Show Opens Today

Monday, April 2-Thursday, April 19

WNCC Carson, Main and College Galleries

Info: 775-445-3000

Last year, more than 50 local artists used their talent, imagination and discardables to create paintings, sculptures, useful items and indescribable "things" at Western's Recycled Art(icles) show. The always-popular contest is back at the Main and College galleries for its 12th consecutive year.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2007-03-05a.php>

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Learn About Institutional Measurement in Webinar

Thursday, April 5, Noon to 1 p.m.

WNCC Carson City, Marlette Hall

Info: 775-445-4234 – Irene Tucker

Christian Ellis, senior vice president of the Segal Company & Sibson Consulting, will discuss how information from metrics can be used to define and prioritize institutional improvement initiatives. Participating faculty and staff will leave with a framework for determining the right metrics to use in their institutions, divisions and departments.

<http://www.cupahr.org/webinars/descriptions.asp#040507>

COLLEGE CORNER

"LIFTED" READY TO SERVE FACULTY, STAFF AND STUDENTS

A new food outlet opened today on the Carson City campus. "Lifted" at the Sedway Cafe features organic produce, antibiotic and hormone free beef, and a delicious array of sandwiches, salads, and breakfast items. It will be open Monday-Thursday, 7:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m., and Friday 7:30 a.m.-2 p.m.



PROFESSOR DEBUNKS LAKE TAHOE MYTHS IN LECTURE

Professor Winnie Kortemeier makes a point to the standing-room-only crowd in Friday's Geologic Tales of Lake Tahoe presentation in Marlette Hall. This was the third event of Western's Faces, Voices & Stories Cultural Series.

BUY SEE'S CANDIES FOR EASTER

The Classified Council is selling See's Candies Easter packages for \$5 each. Contact Ellen Shafer in Carson City at 775-445-4233 or Ginny Dugan in Fallon at 775-423-2228 to place an order today.

SAVE THE DATE

Monday-Friday, April 9-13

"What's Black and White and Red All Over" art exhibit by Kyrra Watson
WNCC Fallon, Virgil Getto Hall Gallery
Reception: Monday, April 9, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 12 - 7 p.m.

Faces, Voices & Stories Cultural Series: "Exposed to the West: Black Rock & Other Stories" with photographer Peter Goin and geographer Paul Starrs
WNCC Carson City, Marlette Hall
Info: 775-445-3000
<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2007-03-07a.php>

Wednesday, April 18 - 1-6 p.m.

Classified Council Book Fair
WNCC Fallon, Virgil Getto Hall Lobby